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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Taylor *et al.*

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For: ANTIGEN-BASED HETEROPOLYMERS AND  
METHOD FOR TREATING AUTOIMMUNE  
DISEASES USING THE SAME

Attorney Docket No: 9426-059-999

**ASSERTION OF SMALL ENTITY STATUS UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.27(c)**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Small entity status is entitled to be asserted for the above-identified application. Accordingly, Attorneys for Applicants respectfully request that small entity status be accorded to the above-identified application.

Respectfully submitted,

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